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He worked for the British government. Jones added that early in 1882 he met William Lyman, president of the Irish National Alliance, and Boland, of New York City, and learning of the existence of the Irish Nationalists' organization, known among its members as the "Irish," or "I.N.I.," whose executive body was known further at that time by the letters "A. S. C.," "Continuing," Jones said that "on instructions" he joined the organization and was initiated into a camp known as the "Shamrock" club, among those present at its initiation being Lyman, Boland, Gallagher, Kearney and Tynan. Gets the Secret.

They afterwards, Jones added, formed a new camp, which was called "The Rally Club," the membership of which included Meerns and Nolin, who had been connected with an explosion in Dublin.

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When the four-in-hands were contesting the enthusiasm reached a high pitch. The hucklers dressed in scarlet and seated on the back of each rig did their work manfully.

Charles F. Gates drove the winning team, and Mr. Bratton drove his own. The teams were sent at a slashing pace, and several times looked very much as if the Bratton coach would turn over as it made the corner.

An incident of the day was the fall of Jockey English, on Thomas Hitchcock's chestnut gelding, Illeg Garter. In taking a hurdle the gelding toppled over with its rider. The latter had the presence of mind to hold fast to the horse's head until a number of grooms came to his assistance, the gelding meanwhile kicking the hurdle to pieces.

Denver Smith has been matched to fight Goldard in April at Johannesburg, South Africa.

The report of the corresponding secretary, Mrs. Katherine Lente Stevenson, of Massachusetts, was then read.

The report showed that during the year 1,176 new unions had been organized, the gain in membership being 45,888. The gain, however, had been offset by a corresponding loss. A gain in membership had been made in New Jersey, Maryland, Massachusetts, Michigan, Kentucky, Virginia, Louisiana, Colorado, Mississippi, Iowa, Missouri, Tennessee, Idaho, Nebraska, Texas, District of Columbia, South Dakota, North Dakota, Eastern Washington, Connecticut, Georgia number two, Florida, Utah, Arkansas, Wyoming, Indian Territory, Alabama, Oregon, Maine and Rhode Island. The pride of the state was in the relative gain. There were losses in

Governor Bradley to-day. It is conjectured that it was with reference to the official count to be made by the returning board to-morrow. The doubt as to whether Governor Bradley will call an extra session of the legislature is growing.

**M'KINLEY'S CALLERS.**

Distinguished Visitors to the Canton Brecca—Mrs. McKimley Hetter.

CANTON, Ohio, Nov. 12.—The first snow storm of the season did not prevent Major McKinley from taking a brisk walk in the bracing November air to-day. His pleasure over the improved condition of Mrs. McKinley was very apparent to all his friends, and the steady stream of callers continued all day. Most distinguished among them were Bishop Earl Cranston, of the Methodist Episcopal church, Portland, Ore.; Col. Geyger, of the Eighth O. N. G.,

It is an important victory for the Monroe doctrine.

At Hatter Cap, Arkansas, an Indian named Porter shot and killed two gamblers, Swede Johnson and Bob Smith. The gamblers had deceived the Indian.

It is officially announced by the Spanish minister at Washington that no notes have passed between United States Minister Taylor at Madrid and the Spanish government regarding the Cuban question.

The Canadian steamer Acadia, which has been missing for several days, is ashore on the rocks near Michipicoten river, Michipicoten, and will be a total loss. The master of the steamer, Captain Clifford, with four of the crew, reached Sault Ste Marie in a sailboat belonging to the lighthouse department. Since a week ago Thursday they have been fighting for life against cold and hunger, and also against the waves on the Canadian shore of Lake Superior.

will be shot at the Cabanas fortress to-morrow.

Colonel Arce was conveying supplies from Pinacetas to Fomento when he was attacked by insurgents, eleven of whom were killed.

General Echague, who was wounded during operations under Weyler in Pinar del Rio, is better.

**Weather Forecast for To-day.**

For West Virginia, fair; warmer; northerly winds, becoming southerly.

For Western Pennsylvania and Ohio, generally fair; warmer Saturday night; brisk northerly winds, becoming variable or southerly.

**Local Temperature.**

The temperature yesterday as observed by C. Schuerf, druggist, corner Fourteenth and Market streets, was as follows:

7 a. m.	33 1/2	p. m.	36
9 a. m.	34	p. m.	35
12 m.	36	Weather—Snow.	